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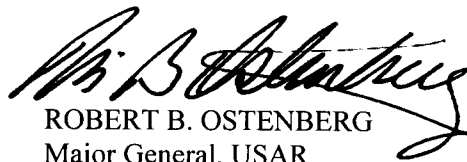
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MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Women's History Month 2004

1. The national observance of Women's History Month is 1-31 March 2004. This is the time we acknowledge the contributions women have made to this Command, America's Army, and our great nation. The theme for this year's observance is "Women Inspiring Hope and Possibility".
2. Over the course of our nation's rich and diverse history, women have made lasting contributions in every aspect of our lives: literature, arts, politics, language, space exploration, economics, and business, to name just a few. Most notably, women have left a legacy of selfless service and devotion to duty in defense of our nation and the freedom we enjoy as Americans.
3. Each year, we encourage commanders at all levels to conduct special programs and activities that recognize these important contributions. This year, I urge you all to highlight the active involvement and many contributions made by female soldiers and civilians within your respective organization, local communities and across the Army Reserve.
4. Join with me as we observe National Women's History Month. Let's show our appreciation to our female comrades and celebrate the significant influence they have had on our nation's history.

  
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